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THE HOSKINE, HOSKINS OR HASKINS FAMILY.

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William Hoskins, or Hoskine, as the surname used sometimes to be spelled in the public records of Plymouth Colony, was at Plymouth and a married man as early as 1641, for on the 2d day of March in that year, "Ann Hinde the wife of William Hoskins, aged 25 yeares or thereabout," testified concerning what occurred in the old country before she came to America. January 18, 1643, William Hoskins in writing agreed that his daughter Sarah Hoskins should live with Thomas Whitney and wife until Sarah should be twenty years of age, and the document further went on to say that Sarah was 6 years old the 16th of Sept. last past, and therefore must have been born Sept. 16th, 1636.

This leads us to suppose William Hoskins was married as early as 1635, and if Ann Hinde was his first wife, that she became a mother at the age of 20 years, which is probably the fact.

From the old colony records we glean the additional fact that William Hoskins's children were as follows:

Sarah, b. Sept. 16, 1636.

A son, name not given, b. Nov. 30, 1647.

Samuel, b. Aug. 8, 1654.

Tradition says that William Hoskins of Taunton (who, on the 3d of July, 1677, was married to Sarah Caswell), was a son of William of Plymouth, and if the son whose birth is

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recorded but name not given, then he was about thirty years of age at the date of his marriage, and almost 73 at the making of his will, which suppositions are quite reasonable.

William Hoskins, of Plymouth, received several land grants, and one, under date of June 3, 1662, located the grant at a place called Lakenham.

He was one of the Grand Jury in 1654 and 1682, and Petit Juror 23 times from 1646 to 1681.

Letters of administration were granted William Moskins of Plymouth, on the estate of "Nicholas Hodgis." Feb. 6th, 1656, and on the estate of Peter Riffe, March, 1684.

The tongue of Ann, the wife of William Hoskins, appears to have been an unruly member, for on one occasion she was complained of and brought into court for saying a certain woman of her acquaintance was "drunk as a bitch;" which statement, Ann, on being arraigned, acknowledged was false, and under date of March 1, 1661, the court record informs us that

"Ann the wife of William Hoskins for speaking most laciniouse and filthy language to Hester Ricard* fined twenty shillings."

William Hoskins and Ann his wife were also plaintiffs in court in an action against John Dunford for slander, and the jury awarded to them the full amount claimed as damages.

Soon after the close of King Philip's War and under date of March 2, 1680, we find this record:

"The Court have ordered four pounds vato William Hoskins to be payed to him by the Treasurer in regard of his low condition haucing loft all he had in the late warr and being growne old and vaable to labour."

WILLIAM HOSKINS, of Taunton, was a son of William Hoskins, of Plymouth. [Tradition.]

[•] The maiden name of Hester Rickard was Barnes. John Barnes, of Plymouth, in his will, deted March 6, 1678, noticed his "kinswoman Ester Rickard," who was doubtless identical with Hester Barnes, who married a Rickard. John Barnes was a drunken sot, and his death was occasioned by a built that gored him in return for some pranks he was playing with the beast.

That he was a soldier in the Narraganset War we accept as a fact, because in his "last will and testament" he made that declaration. For the name of his wife, date of their marriage, together with the names of his children and dates of their several births (save the daughter Hannah) we are indebted to the "Proprietors' Records" of the township of Taunton, and that they had a daughter Hannah to the mention of her name in the father's will, dated March 26, 1730.

The principal interest in the Hoskins family felt by the writer of this genealogy, arises from the fact that he is a lineal descendant through Henry, the third son and fifth child of the second William. This Henry was by trade a "blacksmith," and we make no effort to conceal the fact, nor do we feel any mortification on that account, and hence the advice of the poet is lost on us when he says,

"Depend upon it, my snobbish friend,
Your family thread you can't ascend
Without good reason to apprehend
You'll find it waxed at the farther end
By some plebeian vocation."

After an extended research concerning families bearing more than twenty different surnames, and with which we are by blood allied, we have not realized the

"Worse than that, your boasted line

May end in a loop of stronger twine,

That plagued some ancient relation."

The student in our country's history has an interest in this branch of the Hoskins family, as it has been contended that Abraham Lincoln, the martyr President of the United States, was a lineal descendant, and that the same blood which coursed the veins of William Hoskins, of Plymouth, was, through successive generations, as a legitimate inheritance, transmitted to the Captain in "Black Hawk's War," Congressional statesman and President, and at last shed by the hand of a malignant assassin, filling loyal hearts with horror and the whole



people with forebodings of evil and desolation and feelings of sadness and gloom.

Tradition asserts, and known facts to a considerable extent aid in justifying this claim, for Mr. Lincoln in form bore a very striking resemblance to the old race of Hoskins, and that his ancestors went from New England is generally admitted and scarcely ever denied, and that one of the women of this family was the legal wife of one Abraham Lincoln is a matter of public record, and that this man and woman went to a distant and south-westerly part of the country and there became the grand-parents of the President, is tradition, and one that comes down through those persons who would be the most likely to know of and to notice the fact. To prove positively that Mr. Lincoln was or that he was not lineally descended from the Hoskins family, is at this time probably an impossibility, as Mr. Lincoln's information concerning his genealogical descent was meagre in the extreme, nor have any of his biographers succeeded in adding much light or knowledge to that which he enjoyed on this subject.

Of late years people have come quite generally to write and pronounce this name Haskins instead of Hoskins. That the name was Hoskins and not Haskins we are pretty thoroughly convinced, and shall therefore call them what the public formerly did, and what they called themselves, as we cannot see any right that we possess to change their surnames any more than those of their christening.

We shall endeavor to adhere to the ancient form of spelling, until arriving to those who changed it: calling those Haskins who from choice called themselves so, as this, we think, is the only fair method of procedure that will mete out justice to all.

Perhaps the Hoskinses will say that all should be called Hoskins, and the Haskinses that it looks better and sounds better to accept their mode of spelling; but the writer of this work will not assume or accept the labor of settling

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for them what they cannot settle among and for them-

There was a John Hoskins who was warned out of the town of Plymouth in October, 1684, for fear he would become chargeable to that town; and a John Haskins, a soldier in Capt. Samuel Gallop's company in the expedition to Canada in 1690; and a John Hoskins, a weaver by trade, of Dighton, who made a will, May 31, 1715, and named wife Elizabeth, daughter Eliza wife of Ebenezer Pitts, daughter Sarah wife of Henry Gassett. He also had allusion to his brother Richard Hoskins.

There was a Mary Hoskins who married Edward Cobb, of Plymouth, Nov. 28, 1660; Rebecca Hoskins, of Lakenham, who married Richard Briggs, of Taunton, Aug. 15, 1662, and Elizabeth Hoskins who married Ephraim Tilson, of Plymouth, July 7, 1666; and these the writer of this genealogy lacks evidence to enable him to state how they are connected with the family whose history is here being considered.

WILLIAM HOSKINS and wife ANN HINDE had:

(2) Sarah, b. Sept. 16, 1636; mar. Dec. 4, 1660, Benjamin Eaton, of Plymouth.

(3) William, b. (perhaps Nov. 30, 1747); m. July 3,

1677, Sarah Caswell, of Taunton.

(4) Samuel, b. Aug. 8, 1654; m. Feb. 5, 1684, Mary Austin.

WILLIAM HOSKINS (No. 3) and wife SARAH CASWELL had:

- . (5) Anne, b. Feb. 14, 1678; m. Nathaniel Smith, who died in or before 1730, as at that date she was called a widow.
 - (6) Sarah, b. Aug. 31, 1679; m. Smith.
- (7) William, b. June 30, 1681. Was alive in 1730, for at that date his father willed to him the land that was due for services performed by the parent in Narraganset war.



- (8) Henry, b. March —, 1683; d. Dec. —, 1683.
- (9) Henry, b. Oct. 12, 1686; was by trade a blacksmith; m. twice: first, Abigail Godfrey, of Taunton, who was a daughter of Richard Godfrey and wife Mary Richmond, granddaughter of Richard Godfrey and wife Turner. Abigail was b. Nov. 5, 1684, and d. Nov. 4, 1755, lacking one day of 71 years. He m. second, April 2, 1758, Mrs. Priscilla Booth, probably the widow of John Booth, of Middleboro'. Henry Hoskins d. July 29, 1771, aged 84 years, 9 months and 17 days.
 - (10) Josiah, b. April 4, 1689.
- (11) John, b. Sept. 28, 1690; m. no one. Tradition says he was cast away, and perished from hunger on the island of Anticosti.
 - . (12) Jacob, b. Nov. 1, 1692.
- (13) Stephen, b. Sept. 2, 1697; m. Mary ———. He was dead at the date of his father's will, March 26, 1730.
- (14) Hannah, m. William Macomber, of Taunton. He was b. Jan. 31, 1683.

SAMUEL HOSKINS (No. 4) and wife MARY AUSTIN had:

- (15) Samuel.
- (16) Joshua.
- (17) Nehemiah.
- (18) Lydia.
- (19) Mary.
- (20) Hannah.

Samuel, the parent, was of Taunton, and made a will, dated March 17, 1732, in which he named wife Mary and children whose names here appear.

WILLIAM HOSKINS (No. 7) and wife had:

- (21) William. Tradition informs us that for a time he resided in Middleboro'.
 - (22) Abiel, m. Richmond.
 - (23) Nathaniel.



(24) Shadrach, m. Elizabeth Cole, of Berkley. She was a daughter of John Cole, and b. May 31, 1724.*
(25) George.

HENRY HOSKINS (No. 9) and wife ABIGAIL GODFREY had:

- (26) Mary, b. Oct. 8, 1711; mar. Dec. 13, 1728, Ebenezer Peirce, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He d. Sunday, Aug. 14, 1796, aged about 92 years. She d. Oct. 5, 1768, wanting three days of 57 years. Both buried in the cemetery on the southerly bank of Assawomset Pond in Lakeville, and have suitable gravestones bearing inscriptions. Great-grand-parents to the writer of this genealogy.
- (27) Henry, b. Dec. 12, 1713; m. twice: first, Hannah ——. She d. Feb. 7, 1745, and was interred in the "Caswell burial ground," East Taunton, and has a grave-stone bearing a legible inscription. He m. second, Jan. 8, 1746, Mary, a daughter of Philip Rounsevill, of East Freetown, an English emigrant, and wife Mary Howland. Henry d. June 3, 1796, aged 82 years, 5 months and 22 days. She d. Aug. 17, 1792, aged 81 years, 4 months and 6 days.

(28) Anne, b. June 22, 1714; m. Feb. 9, 1732, Melatiah Hathaway, of Freetown. She d. and he m. again.

(29) Abigail, b. Aug. 24, 1719; m. Aug. 11, 1737, Shadrach Peirce, of Middleboro', now Lakeville.

(30) Sarah, b. Nov. 18, 1726; m. Jan. 31, 1745, Dea. William Hoar, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He was a deacon of the Calvinistic Baptist church, under the ministrations of Rev. Ebenezer Hinds. Deacon Hoar d. April 25, 1795, aged 83 years, 3 months and 25 days.

^{**} The town records of Berkley give the following account of the family of John tole and wife Elizabeth: John, b. Sept. 29, 1716; Joseph, b. March 18, 1718; Tary, b. Feb. 17, 1720; Hannah, b. March 19, 1722; Elizabeth, b. May 31, 1724; Lobert, b. Oct. 22, 1726; Phebe, b. July 26, 1729; Susanna, b. Dec. 8, 1731, d. 1737; Abiel, b. Feb. 6, 1733; Abigail, b. Aug. 13, 1736; Lydia, b. Aug. 20, 1739; George, b. Sept. 29, 1741.



They were interred in the Caswell burial ground, East Taunton, and have grave-stones bearing legible inscriptions.

STEPHEN HOSKINS (No. 13) and wife MARY —— had:

- (31) Stephen, m. Mary ---.
- (32) Mary.
- (33) Abiah.

WILLIAM MACOMBER and wife HANNAH HOSKINS (No. 14) had:

- (34) Abiel.
- (35) William.
- (36) Anne.
- (37) Sarah.

SAMUEL HOSKINS (No. 15) and wife JOANNA —— had:

- (38) Peter.
- (39) Sarah, m. Henry Burt.
- (40) Abigail.
- (41) Phebe.
- (42) Amy.
- (43) John.

The estate of Samuel, the parent, was divided in 1761, when the children above noticed were named, as also the widow.

JOSHUA HOSKINS (No. 16) and wife had:

- (44) Joshua.
- (45) Abijah.
- (46) Lemuel.
- (47) Mercy, m. Pratt.
- (48) Lydia, m. Abraham Lincoln, of Taunton, and also of Freetown. Tradition says they left their farm in what was then Freetown, now Fall River, and went to a more southerly part of the country.
 - (49) Prudence, m. Lemuel Hathaway.



- (50) Rebecca, m. Nathan Hack.
- (51) Hannah.
- (52) Ann, m. Eddy.

Joshua, the parent, was of Taunton, and called yeoman. He made a will, dated Jan. 1, 1772. Named children as above, save that daughter Ann was then single.

WILLIAM HOSKINS (No. 21) and wife had:

(53) William, who was a blacksmith and went to Canada before the war of American Revolution, at least such is the tradition I have received concerning him, and also that he was known to have been living in Canada in the time that war was being waged.

ABIEL Hoskins (No. 22) and wife had:

- (54) Abiel, m. twice: first, Lydia Briggs. She died, and he m. second, Mrs. Ruth Read Allen, the widow of J. Allen. (Tradition.)
- (55) Joshua, b. March 26, 1755; m. Hannah Myrick, of Berkley. She was b. Aug. 17, 1757.
- (56) Elijah, b. 1757. He was blind for several of the last years of his life. Died March 15, 1851. Resided near Myrickville, in East Taunton. He m. Hannah Richmond.
- (57) John, b. 1759; m. Dec. 11, 1781, Ruth Caswell. She d. April 6, 1800, in her 43d year; and he m. second, Susanna ——. She d. Jan. 15, 1840, in her 80th year. 1, d. Aug. 20, 1828. (See gravestones.)

(58) Henry, m. Nov. 21, 1782, Abiguil Townsend, of Jaunton. He d.

- (59) Prudence, m. Capt. Amos Washburn, of Middlebor'o', now Lakeville. He d. Oct. 14, 1794, aged 52 years. Sheed. Oct. 30, 1804. (See gravestones.)
 - (60) Lydia, m. Abraham Pearce, of East Taunton.

61) Betsey.

(62) Welthea, m. Amos Briggs, of Berkley.



- (63) Abigail, m. Jonathan Harvey, of Freetown.
- (64) Bethana, m. James Harvey, of Freetown.

(65) Charity, m. Paul Anthony.

Abiel, the parent, was by trade a blacksmith, and lived in East Taunton, near Myrickville.

SHADRACH HOSKINS (No. 24) and wife ELIZABETH COLE had:

- (66) Shadrach, b. Aug. 26, 1743; d. March 31, 1749.
- (67) Nathan, b. Feb. 20, 1744.
- (68) Abel, b. Jan. 28, 1746; d. March 24, 1749.
- (69) Samuel, b. March 11, 1749; d. March 24, 1749.
- (70) Seth, b. April 24, 1750.
- (71) Elizabeth, b. Feb. 25, 1753.
- (72) Hannah, b. July 15, 1757.
- (73) Rainah, b. June 17, 1759.
- (74) Bathsheba, b. Dec. 23, 1761.
- (75) Phylena, b. March 18, 1766.
- (76) Abigail, b. July 28, 1768.

For the christian names of Shadrach Hoskins's children, and the dates of their births, I am indebted to the town records of Berkley. Elizabeth, the mother, was a daughter of John.Cole.

EBENEZER PEIRCE and wife MARY Hoskins (No. 26) had:

- (77) John, b. March 7, 1731; m. three times: first, July 17, 1755, Sarah Rounsevill, of East Freetown. She died Oct. 20, 1774; m. second, Aug. 31, 1775, Lucy Ashley, of Middleborough. She d. Aug. 8, 1799, and he in. Elizabeth Read; date of her death unknown to me. It e died in Shutesbury, Mass., Jan. 9, 1823.
- (78) Abiel, b. Sept. 10, 1733; m. twice: first, in 1758, Hannah Canedy, of Middleborough. She died June 10, 1783. He m. second, Dec. 30, 1783, Mrs. Theodora Rob. non, of Raynham. Her maiden name was Godfrey. Soldied He died Dec. 26, 1811.

- (79) Judith, b. Feb. 24, 1736; m. Lieut. Melatiah Hathaway, Jr., of Dartmouth, He died Jan. 8, 1808. She died Nov. 6, 1824. They resided in Dartmouth.
- (80) Job, b. Nov. 29, 1737; m. twice: first, May 18, 1761, Elizabeth Rounsevill, of East Freetown. She d. June 9, 1790; m. second, Oct. 1799, Mrs. Elizabeth Strobridge, of Middleborough. Her maiden name was Nelson. She died March, 1846. He died July 22, 1819.*
- (81) Anna, b. ——; m. twice: first, Aug. 23, 1757, Abiel Cole, of Middleboro'. He died in or about 1781. She m. second, Thomas Rounsevill. She died Sept. 1806.
- (82) Henry, b. 1743; m. twice: first, March, 1768, Salome Hinds, of Middleborough. She d. June 17, 1784. He m. second, March 17, 1785, Deborah Chase, of Middleborough. She died Dec. 23, 1849. He died Jan. 22, 1791.
- (83) Mary, b. ——; m. Oct. 19, 1764, Benjamin Spooner, Jr., of Middleborough, now Lakeville.
- (84) Seth, b. —, 1747; m. four times: first, Nov. 9, 1769, Huldah Sampson, of Middleborough. She d. March 15, 1793; m. second, Dec. 22, 1793, Rebecca Paige, of Hardwick. She d. Aug. 2, 1795; m. third, in 1796, Abigail Hinkley, of Brookfield. She d. Dec. 30, 1797; m. fourth, Mary McFarlin. He died Feb. 25, 1809.
- (85) Hopestill, b. June 27, 1748; m. Feb. 11, 1767, Stephen Hathaway, of Taunton. She died Jan. 10, 1838.
 - (86) Ebenezer, b ----; m. no one. Lost his life in

[•] Since the publication of the book entitled Pcirce Family of Old Colony, the writer has found the following list of officers and soldiers that served under Job Peirce, for a short period, in the War of Revolution. For roll of another company under Capt. Job Peirce in that war, see pages 64 and 65 of that book. Capt. Job Peirce's Company, in Col. Sprout's Regiment, in service from Dec. 9, 1776: Job Peirce, Captain; Josiah Smith, 1st Lieut.; Samuel Hoar, 2nd Lieut.; Enos Raymond, Ezra Clark, Abraham Peirce and Ebenezer Hinds, Sergeants; Seth Ramsdill, Corporal; Roger Clark, Drummer. Private soldiers, Henry Peirce, Isaac Howland, Stephen Hathaway, Enos Peirce, James Peirce, Isaac Parris, Abiel Chase, Bradock Hoar, Moses Parris, Zebedee Booth, Eseck Howland, Seth Keen, John Allen, Samuel Parris, John Hinds, John Haskins, Joshua Caswell, William Canedy, Noble Canedy, Benjamin Reynolds, George Peirce, Libeus Simmons, Ephraim Reynolds, Joseph Booth, Jr., and John Douglas.



Revolutionary Army, being a soldier in Capt. Joshua White's company at the date of his decease, and on duty in or near Newport, R. I.*

HENRY HOSKINS (No. 27) and first wife HANNAH had:

Pitts. She died Feb. 17, 1839, in her 85th year. He was a Captain in patriot army in war of American Revolution. He died Jan. 4, 1819. [See gravestones.]

(88) John, b. Aug. 15, 1738.

(89) Hannah, b. Feb. 19, 1740; m. Feb. 8, 1757, Thomas Chase, of Freetown.

- (90) Henry, b. Sept. 9, 1741.

(91) Stephen. b. July 8, 1743; m. Phebe —. She died May 29, 1787. He died Dec. 20, 1799. Hannah, the mother, died Sunday morning, Feb. 7, 1745. [Gravestone.]

By second wife, MARY ROUNSEVILL, had:

(92) Philip, b. 17-; m Mary Myrick.

(93) Peter, b. 17-.

- (94) Mary, b. 17-; m. 1768, Solomon Paine, Freetown.
- (95) William, b. May 21, 1754; m. Nov. 4, 1779, Sarah Caswell, of ———. He d. April 18, 1827. She d. Aug. 15, 1846. He was a soldier in the patriot army of the Revolution, and subsequently commissioned Lieutenant in the local militia of Taunton, May 17, 1792.

MELATIAN HATHAWAY and wife Anna Hoskins† (No. 28) had:

(96) Melatiah; b. Sept. 14, 1732; m. Judith Peirce, of

[•] The writer's father (the late Ebenezer Peirce, Eq.) was christened John, and continued to bear that name until the death of his uncle, Ebenezer Peirce (No. 86), when his name was changed to Ebenezer. The writer thus came by his christianname, one he never liked at all, but long since resolved to get along with and make the best of. If I was at all superstitious, I should think it an omen of evil, for the Ebenezers of the family have been unusually subject to casualties, mishaps and misfortunes.

[†] After the death of Anna, Melatiah Hathaway for a second wife married Sarah Hathaway, of Freetown. Anna, the first wife, must have died sometime before Feb.

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Middleboro', now Lakeville. He was a Lieut. of the local militia of Dartmouth, and a member of Constitutional Convention, 1780. He d. Jan. 8, 1808, aged 75 years, 3 mos. and 25 days. She d. Nov. 6, 1824, aged 88 years, 7 mos. and 13 days. [Gravestones.]

(97) Job, b. 1736; m. Betsey Chase. He d. Feb. 11,

1795. [Gravestones.]

- (98) James, b. Oct. 28, 1737; m. Abigail Peirce, of Spencer, Mass. He was Committee of Correspondence, Inspection and Safety in 1783, Selectman of Spencer in 1785 and '87, represented that town in the General Court seven years, member of State Convention in 1788. He d. April, 1817, aged 79 years, 5 mos. She d. Oct. 21, 1822, aged 80 years, 9 mos. 19 days. [Gravestones.]
 - (99) Sylvanus, b. —; m. Bushee. [Tradition.] (100) Seth, b. —; m. Jan. 13, 1771, Welthea How-
- (100) Seth, b. —; m. Jan. 13, 1771, Welthea Howland, a daughter of Joshua Howland.
- (101) Anna, b. —; m. Oct. 31, 1771, Silas Peirce, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He d. May 1, 1816. [Gravestones.]
- (102) Mercy, b. —; m. 1765, John White, of Freetown. He was Sergeant of Capt. Levi Rounsevill's Co. of

Rev. Philip Hathaway (or Hathway, as he used to write the surname) was united in marriage with Abiah Ashley, a daughter of Williams Ashley and Elizabeth his wife, and the oldest son of Rev. Philip and wife Abiah was christened Noah. This Noah, when a single man, was charged by a single woman, viz., Sarah Porter, of Freetown, with being the father of her bastard child, that she named Noah Porter Hathaway. Noah Porter Hathaway married Nancy Payne, of Freetown, and one of their daughters, a married woman, has had the shameless audacity to state publicly that one or more of her children were begotten by a man not her husband; and thus are we assured of the truth of the adage, "Blood will tell." Does, or does not, history repeat itself?

^{23, 1756,} as at that date Rachel Haskins (a single woman who had been a servant of Melatiah Hathaway while a widower) gave birth to an illegitimate child, that she swore was begotten by her former employer, Melatiah Hathaway, and for this act of fornication Rachel was sentenced by the county court to be publicly whipped. The child took the surname of its reputed father, and became a minister of the Calvinistic Baptist denomination, next changed to "Christian," and finally Swedenborgian. Philip, for that was the child's name, died in Freetown, June 14, 1839, was interred in the ancient cemetery, a little south of Assonet Village, and his grave is marked by a marble slab bearing an inscription.



"Minute Men" that responded to the first call, now known as Lexington Alarm; and also Sergeant of Capt. Rounsevill's Co. in the Continental Army. Tradition says that Mrs. White one night discovered a tory passing the house, who had been sentenced to remain at home and not to go off his farm; and taking down her husband's loaded gun, she went to the door and discharged the piece at the tory, and thus frightened him into a future compliance with the order. Lieut. Abraham Ashley was the tory's name.

SHADRACH PEIRCE and wife Abigail Hoskins (No. 29) had:

- (103) Sarah, b. Feb. 1, 1738 (or five months and sixteen days after her parents were married); m. Sept. 14, 1757, George Peirce, of Middleboro'. He died July 17, 1774. She died April 20, 1778, or about three years and nine months after her husband; yet had she given birth to an illegitimate child, Oct. 16, 1776, or two years and three months after his decease, and which act tradition says that she bitterly repented of, going so far as to express her desire to be buried at the feet of her husband, as she thought herself unworthy to lie even in the grave at his side.
- (104) Levi, b. Feb. 26, 1739; was a soldier in the French and Indian War; m. Feb. 11, 1761, Bathsheba Babbett, of Middleboro', Mass. Removed to Spencer, in Worcester County, and from thence to Peru, in Berkshire county. He died Jan. 1, 1826. She died Aug. 31, 1830.
- (105) Abigail, b. Jan. 2, 1742; m. James Hathaway, of Spencer, a son of Melatiah Hathaway and wife Anna Hoskins, and hence her first cousin. He died April, 1817. She died Oct. 21, 1822.
- (106) Lydia, b. Sept. 30, 1745; m. Jan. 27, 1763, Lieut. John Howland, of Brookfield, Mass. He was an officer in the patriot army of Revolution. His first commission in that army was that of Ensign.

Lieut. John died Jan. 13, 1810.



(107) Shadrach, b. 1750; m. Anna Bridges. He was a soldier in the patriot army in the War of Revolution. He died in 1832. Lived in Spencer, Mass. Drew a pension.

Dea. WILLIAM HOAR and wife SARAH HOSKINS (No. 30) had:

- (103) Rebecca, b. Oct. 12, 1746; m. William Rounsevill, of East Freetown. She d. Dec. 13, 1774. He d. Sept. —, 1797. (Gravestones.)
- (109) Mary, b. Dec. 28, 1747; m. Aug. —, 1768, Lieut. Ezra Clark, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. Of the "Beach Woods" company he was commissioned in 1787 as Lieut.
- (110) Judith, m. Aug. 18, 1768, Isaac Hathaway, of Freetown. He was a son of Nicholas Hathaway and wife Rebecca Merrick.
- (111) Sarah, m. Isaac Hill, of Lisle, Broome county, N. Y. (Tradition.)
- (112) Braddock, b. 1756; m. twice: first, July 27, 1786, Saiah Valentine, a daughter of John Valentine, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. She died, and he m. second, Charity Snow, of Rochester. He was a soldier in the patriot army of American Revolution, and, tradition informs, was captured by the enemy, and for a time held as a prisoner.
- (113) Anna, m. Noah Clark, Esq., of Middleboro', now Lakeville. She d. Jan. 18, 1839. He d. Oct. 25, 1830.
- (114) William, b. 1762; m. Catharine Brown. He d. Oct. 27, 1827. She d. March, 1854. (See gravestones in Caswell burial ground, East Taunton.)
- (115) Abigail, b. 1767; m. Noah Ashley, of East Freetown. She d. April 12, 1792, and he m. Lavinia Howland, a daughter of John Howland and wife Abigail Peirce.
- (116) Luther, m. Betsey Hoar. Of 7th Co. of the militia of Middleboro', now Lakeville (Beach Wood Co. so called), he was commissioned, June 12, 1789, as Ensign; James Peirce being Captain, and Leonard Hinds Lieut.,

and in the regiment of which Israel Fearing, of Wareham, was Colonel.

(117) Lorana, d. at the age of 4 years.

Deacon William Hoar, the parent, used to tend a grist mill in that part of Middleboro', now Lakeville, called Beach Woods. He was deacon of the Calvinistic Baptist church, whose place of worship was near; and in the mill race, just below the wheel of the deacon's mill, the ordinance of baptism by immersion used sometimes to be administered. One of the oldest inhabitants, now residing in that section of the country, once told the writer that he in boyhood witnessed these exercises, and had known a grist ground on Sundays that the amount of water might be increased below the wheel; having, as evidently they did, a keen eye to availing themselves of all the uses to which the water could be applied. Whether the deacon gave his chief attention to the ordinance of baptism as a means of grace, or to the grinding of the grist, our informant did not state. Why they did not make use of the water in the pond above the wheel, I never could determine, unless, like the pool of Siloam, that to be a means of healing had to be troubled, so, perhaps, in the minds of these Baptists, this ordinance to be effectual must be performed in a running stream, and no still or stagnant water would answer the purpose.

STEPHEN HOSKINS (No. 31) and wife MARY — had:

- (118) Stephen.
- (119) John.
- (120) Jacob.
- (121) Abigail, m. Seth Tisdale.

Stephen, the parent, made a will, June 9, 1787, in which he named wife Mary, and sons Stephen, John and Jacob, and daughter Abigail, the wife of Seth Tisdale. Record of the will of Stephen Hoskins may be found in the probate office at Taunton, Mass.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN and wife Lydia Haskins (No. 48).

Concerning the connection existing between the Haskins family and Abraham Lincoln, late President of the United States, that tradition has set afloat and which has been carried as on the wings of the wind to the remote corners of. earth and wherever a Haskins exists, I will now state that at the first I was inclined to put some confidence in the statement, from the fact that having seen and conversed with President Lincoln, I discovered in his bodily form much of the original or at least olden type as described to me by those best acquainted with the Haskins family in Massachusetts a century ago. The writer's great-grandmother on the paternal side was a Hoskins, or what is now generally called Haskins, and my grandfather in form and feature, I have been told, took strongly from the maternal side. He, like Mr. Lincoln, was tall and bony, long limbed, gaunt, and withal awkward and good-natured, enjoying fun even at the sacrifice of his proper dignity, and a good joke though perpetrated to his own expense.

Then, as I progressed in my researches (of the county records in the offices of the Registry of Probate and of Deeds), the statements of the tradition were so uniformly and strongly verified that for a time my confidence was increased and my belief strengthened.

It is an old adage, and one that when put in practice often demolishes tradition, viz., "figures won't liv;" and when the test of figures had been duly applied, I confess that much of my former confidence forsook me, and I am forced to the conclusion either that the biographers of President Lincoln are in an error in the date they have fixed upon for his grandfather's settlement in Pennsylvania, or else Abraham Lincoln of Taunton and subsequently of Freetown, and Lydia his wife, were not the ancestors of the martyr President of these United States.

That an Abraham Lincoln of Taunton did become the



husband of Lydia, a daughter or Joshua Hoskins of that town, is established beyond any reasonable doubt, from the fact that said Joshua Hoskins, in his last will and testament, dated Jan 1, 1772, made a provision for his daughter Lydia, who he therein described as the wife of Abraham Lincoln; and under date of March 10, 1775, Abraham Lincoln, of Taunton, exchanged a piece of land with George Godfrey, Esq. (afterward Brigadier General Godfrey), the deed of exchange being on record in the Registry of Deeds at Taunton. Under date of Feb. 19, 1777, this Abraham Lincoln purchased of Oliver Danforth a piece of cedar swamp that seems to have been on the dividing line between the towns of Taunton and Norton, and lying partly in each.

March 14, 1794, the same Abraham Lincoln bought of Thomas Lee 66 acres of land lying in what was then Freetown, now Fall River, and there, probably, he went to reside, as on the 29th of April, 1797, in a mortgage deed of these premises, made to Thomas Lee, he is called Abraham Lincoln, of Freetown; and Lydia, his wife, also signed the deed. This farm in Freetown subsequently became the property of the Lees, but at what date the record fails to show, probably, however, a little before 1800, or some 78 years since, when tradition says that Abraham Lincoln went to a more southerly part of the United States and was identical with the earliest ancestor of President Lincoln named by his biographers.

Had this selling out in Massachusetts occurred twenty or thirty years earlier than it did, then might we feel a good degree of confidence in the truth of the theory upon which the tradition is based, for it would have at least seemed more plausible if no more true. The life of President Lincoln, written by Henry J. Raymond, says, "The ancestors of Abraham Lincoln were of English descent; and although they are believed to have originally emigrated to this country with the followers of William Penn, it is difficult to trace them farther back than to their place of residence in Berks



County, Pennsylvania, whence a part of the family removed in 1750 to that section of Virginia now known as Rockingham County." "Thirty years later, Abraham Lincoln, the grandfather of our late President, finding civilization crowding him too closely, and possibly enticed by the stories which came back to the frontier settlements from that famous pioneer, Daniel Boone, but undeterred by the dangers which he knew he must inevitably encounter, determined to make another bold push westward, and settled on Floyd's Creek, in Kentucky, in what is now known as Bullitt County.

"Hardly had he secured a home for his little family, when he was fatally shot by an Indian who came upon him stealthily while he was at work some distance from his log cabin."

That the family or a part of it, in 1750, removed from Berks Co., Pennsylvania, to Rockingham Co., Virginia, is doubtless purely traditional, and may be regarded as true or it may not, as traditions, which are shaky at the best, are generally very unreliable in point of dates.

"Thirty years later," viz. 1780, Abraham Lincoln is said to have emigrated to Bullitt Co., Kentucky, and that date our reason dictates us to believe may have been correct, or nearly so. Now had Abraham Lincoln, of Taunton, and subsequently of Frectown, sold out and gone to a remote part of the country in 1780 or thereabouts, instead of 1798, I for cue should still be strong in the belief that he was identical with the person of that name who fell from the fatal shot of the stealthy savage; but the term of eighteen years is much too long a time, and the difference is almost or quite irreconcilable. I do not wish to be understood as saying that I discard the tradition, for the biographer of President Lincoln may be in an error, as probably he never gave a tenth part of the time and labor to his investigations upon the result of which his statement is made, as the writer of this book has devoted to tracing the evidence pro and con

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concerning Abraham Lincoln and wife Lydia Haskins, and the tradition that they were the grandparents of the sixteenth President of the United States.

ABIEL HOSKINS (No. 54) and wife Lydia Briggs had:

- (122) Lydia, m. Oct. 10, 1782, Ebenezer Read, of Taunion. (Berkley Records.)
- (123) Abiel, m. first, Lincoln, of Dighton. She d. and he m. Dec. 7, 1789, Sarah Pain.
 - (124) Polly, m. May 20, 1790, Roger Paul.
- (125) Sally, m. Dec. 8, 1796, Gilbert Tripp, of New Bedford. (Town Records of Berkley.)
 (126) Abigail, m. no one. Died when about 20.
- (127) Isaac, b. 17-; m. twice: first, Nov. 14, 1799, Priscilla Tripp; second, Sally French, of Berkley, Sept. 8, 1805. (Berkley Records.)

By second wife RUTH READ ALLEN had:

- (128) Ruth, m. Nov. 1, 1804, James French, of Berkley. (Town Records of Berkley.)
- (129) Merriam, b. 1779; m. Samuel Chase, of Berkley. She d. Jan. 15, 1845.
 - (130) Ephraim, m. no one; died young.
 - (131) Richmond, m. no one; died young.
 - (132) Alexander, m. no one; died young.
- (133) Cyrus, b. May 16, 1791; m. Oct. 29, 1815, Catharine Howland, of Freetown. She was a daughter of George How and, of Freetown, and wife Deborah Shaw (see page 121 of this book). This aged couple, both being in their eighty-fourth year, still live on the farm and in the house in which he was born; and it was in the room in which his eyes first saw the light that he communicated to the writer of this work many facts pertaining to the history of the Haskins family.
 - (134) Abiel, m. Lydia Smith, of Freetown. (Tradition.)
- (135) Daniel, m. no one; died when 21 years of age. (Tradition.)

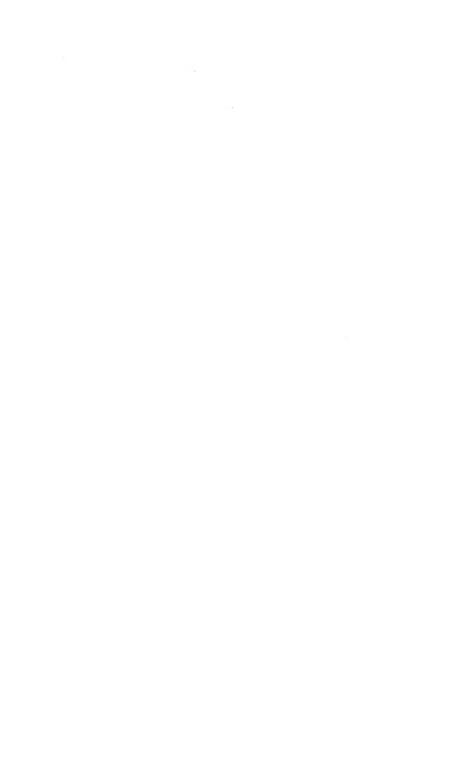


Joshua Hoskins (No. 55) and wife Hannah Myrick had:

(136) Enoch, b. in Taunton, Nov. 6, 1778; m. Phebe Weeks. He d. July 21, 1863. She d. Sept. 21, 1853. Commissioned, April 14, 1817, Captain of 2d company of the local militia in Middleboro'; honorably discharged at the disbandment of that company, Jan. 20, 1818.* That company was formed in or about 1720, and existed about 98 years.

• Captains of the 2d company of local militia in the town of Middleboro', and also the dates of their commissions, so far as the knowledge of the same has come to the writer of this book:

Ichabod Southworth, from in or about 1720; Nathaniel Southworth; Ebenezer Morton; Nathaniel Smith, from July 23, 1754, to 1762; Gideon Southworth, from Oct. 27, 1762, to 1772; Robert Sprout, from June 12, 1772, to 1774; Nathaniel Smith, from Oct. 10, 1771, and he was probably in commission as Captain of this company on the occasion of the "Lexington Alarm," April 19, 1775, but neither he, nor Nehemiah Allen, his Lieutenant, nor Samuel Barrows, his Ensign, appeared with the company in response to the country's "first call" of distress, and doubtless were all dismissed from their offices by an act of the Massachusetts legislature that took effect Sept. 19, 1775. At the "Lexington Alarm," by returns on the official files in the State House, Boston, it still appears that this 2d company responded under Abiel Peirce, a veteran Captain of the French and Indian War. whose Lieutenants were Joseph Macomber and Benjamin Darling. For a complete roll of those who then responded, see page 62 of book entitled "Peirce Family of Old Colony." Lieut. Nehemiah Allen was commissioned Captain, May 9, 1776; John Barrows, April 8, 1778; Abner Bourne, June 2, 1780; Ezra Harlow, July 1, 1781; George Vaughan, April 12, 1790; Peter Hoar, from June 6, 1793, until promoted to Major, Jan. 4, 1797; Jabez Thomas, Jan. 25, 1797; John Morton, May 7, 1799; Sylvanus Tillson, May 4, 1802; Nathaniel Cole, May 7, 1805; Abner Barrows, Jr., July 27, 1807; Ephraim Ward, from promoted to Major: Peter Hoar Peirce, from Feb. 18, 1814, to 1816, when promoted to Major. He was a nephew of Capt. Abial Peirce who led the company at the first battle of the Revolution, and to Peter II. Peirce was accorded the honor to command it as a part of the "coast guard" in the last war with England. For roll of this company in that service, see pages 368 and 369 of the book entitled "Peir Family of Old Colony." Orrin Tinkham, from Sept. 10, 1816; Enoch Haskins, from April 14, 1817, to disbandment, Jan. 20, 1818. The geographical limits of this company took in the four corners village, and extended about two miles into what is now Lakeville. It was disbanded to allow the raising of a volunteer company called the "Middleboro' Grenadicrs," of which Isaac Stevens was the first Captain, Lorenzo Wood, Lieutenant, and Sylvanus Barrows, Ensign. It was in that Grenadier Company that the writer of this book was first enrolled as a soldier in the active militia of this commonwealth, my volunteer enlistment into which was on the 10th day of December, 1841, and where as a private soldier I remained until commissioned Quarter-master of the Fourth Regiment of Artillery, Aug. 7, 1844.



(137) Lucinda, b. in Middleboro', now Lakeville, Oct. 16, 1780; m. March 20, 1803, Thomas Southworth. She d. March 5, 1832. He died June 19, 1867. He was b. May 8, 1776, and was a son of Gideon Southworth.

(138) Joshua, b. in Middleboro', now Lakeville, Jan. 5, 1784; m. twice: first, Serena Robinson; second, Rebecca Clark. He d. Aug. 31, 1849; was appointed a Justice of Peace for Plymouth county, April 24, 1832.

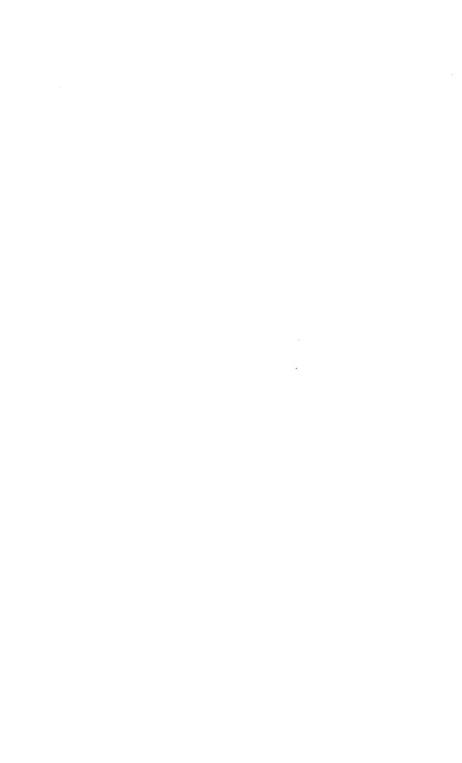
(139) Myrick, b. in Middleboro', now Lakeville, Nov. 13, 1786; m. Polly ——.

- (140) Andrew, b. July 16, 1789; m. twice: first, Lydia B. Kinsley; second, Susanna Kinsley. He d. Oct. 26, 1855. His first wife d. Jan. 4, 1841.
- (141) Levi, b. March 28, 1794; m. Mary Sampson, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He d. April -, 1862; held a Lieutenant's commission on the staff of Col. Ephraim Ward. By trade a shoemaker; was also a farmer.
- (142) Apollos, b. Nov. 24, 1796; m. Amelia Leonard. He d. April 10, 1865. He was a Justice of Peace for Plymouth county. Appointed March 31, 1846, Drum Major of 4th regiment in local militia of Plymouth county, on the staff of Col. Benjamin P. Wood, of Middleboro'. Farmer.

Joshua Hoskins, the parent, was born in East Taunton, March 26, 1755. Hannah Myrick, his wife, was born in Berkley, Aug. 17, 1757. He removed to Middleboro'.

ELIJAH HOSKINS (No. 56) and wife HANNAH RICHMOND had:

- (143) Eber, b. Aug. —, 1778; m. no one; d. Dec. 31, 1869, aged 91 years.
 - (144) Christiana, m. Charles Johnson.(145) Hannah, m. William Johnson.
- (146) Samuel, b. April, 1802; m. Lydia Gifford. He d. Sept. 2, 1850, aged 48 years, 4 months and 28 days. Was a Representative to the General Court in Boston one



session. A practical surveyor and engineer. Thanks due to Mrs. Lydia Haskins for information.

Elijah, the parent, was blind for several years, and the writer of this genealogy, when a child, saw this aged, blind man led by the hand, and was the first blind person he ever saw.

John Hoskins (No. 57) and wife Ruth Caswell had:

- (147) Rebecca, m. June 4, 1801, Clothier Pearce, of East Taunton. He d. Sept. 23, 1854, aged 73 years, 5 months and 11 days. She d. Dec. 13, 1869. (See grave-stones.)
- (148) Bathsheba, m. July 18, 1805, Thomas Terry, of Freetown. They lived together about 35 years and separated, and he went to Genesee county, N. Y. She died in Lakeville, May, 1855. He was a son of Joseph Terry.

(149) John, m. Dec. 8, 1810, Polly Harvey, of Taunton, daughter of James Harvey and wife Bethana Hoskins.

- (150) Simeon, b. 1792; m. May 29, 1817, Hannah, a daughter of Abraham Peirce, of Lakeville. Simeon d. Feb. 25, 1851. Hannah d. March 21, 1868. She was b. Nov. 28, 1790. (See gravestones.)
- (151) Richmond, b. Dec. 8, 1797; m. Oct. 5, 1826, Nancy Wade, of East Taunton. He d. Nov. 27, 1857. (See Freetown Records and gravestones.)
- (152) Ruth, b. Sept. 8, 1799; m. James Wade, of East Taunton. He is a blacksmith.

HENRY HOSKINS (No. 58) and wife ABIGAIL TOWNSEND had:

- (153) Nathaniel, m. Experience Holloway, of Middle-boro', now Lakeville.
- (154) Gilbert, m. Lydia Read, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. Both are dead.
- (155) Henry, b. July 26, 1793; m. May 29, 1817, Abigail Richmond, of Middleboro'. He d. Feb. 14, 1853,



aged 59 years, 6 months and 19 days. She d. June 14, 1853. (See gravestones.)

(156) Edward, b. Jan. 28, 1796; m. March 23, 1823,

Fanny Pearce, of Taunton. They were cousins.

(157) Abigail, m. Capt. Apollos Read, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. Of the 7th company* in Middleboro', "Beach Woods" company so called, he was commissioned, May 7, 1816, as Lieutenant, Ethan Peirce being Captain, and Elias Parris, Ensign; promoted to Captain, 182-, with John Strobridge, Lieutenant, and Samuel Hoar, Ensign. This company belonged to the 4th regiment in 2d brigade, 5th division, Massachusetts Militia. The regiment being commanded by Col. Ephraim Ward, of Middleboro', now Lakeville; the brigade by Brigadier General Abiel Washburn, of Middleboro', and the division by Major General Nathaniel Goodwin, of Plymouth.

Capt. Amos Washburn was a son of Edward Washburn and wife Elizabeth Snell, grandson of James Washburn and wife Mary Bowden, great-grandson of John Washburn and wife Experience Mitchell.

On the occasion of the great alarm in 1778, caused by the landing of the British soldiers in Dartmouth, now New Bedford, and their attempt to burn the village of Fairhaven (Sept. 17, 1778), Capt. Amos Washburn and the company

[.] This 7th company was formed during the War of the American Revolution, and Henry Peirce commissioned Captain. His successors in that office, and the date, of their commissions, were as follows: James Peirce, July 17, 1787; Abanoam Hinds, Aug. 15, 1796; Elkanah Peirce, May 4, 1802; Dr. Elisha Briggs, Sept. 29, 1806; Sylvanus Parris, March 20, 1811; Ethan Peirce, June 6, 1815; Apollos Read, 182-; John Strobridge, May 19, 1827; Samuel Hoar, from June 6, 1829, to May 30, 1831; Silas P. Ashley, Aug. 15, 1831. After May 30, 1830, this company also embraced what had been the 4th company in Middleboro', sometimes called the "Pond Company." By the election of Silas P. Ashley, Aug. 15, 1831, Lieut. John W. Canedy was supersoded, and vacated his position Sept. 10. 1831, and that place was filled Oct. 7, 1831, by the election of Abraham Peirce. This company was disbanded by legislative enactment, April 24, 1840. Existed about sixty years. Had no Captain after Silas P. Ashley, although not dishanded until some two or three years after he resigned. Lieut. Abraham Peirce was therefore its last commander.



of local militia under his command responded to the call and promptly repaired to the scene of action. He was then captain of the fourth company of local militia in Middleboro, the geographical limits of which company are now nearly all in Lakeville.

The following is a true list of the officers and soldiers of that company who responded to that call, copied by the writer of this book from the official returns on file in the

office of the Secretary of State, Boston.

Amos Washburn, Captain. Elisha Haskell, Lieutenant. Andrew McCully, Second Lieutenant. Sergeants, Samuel Nelson, Job Townsend, Robert Strobridge and Abraham Shaw. Corporals, James Pickens and Josiah Jones. Private Soldiers, John Townsend, Job Howland, John Peirce, John Blyc, Andrew Perkins, Henry Strobridge, Ebenezer Briggs, Thomas Nelson, Roger Haskell, Zebulon Haskell, David Lewis, Silas Peirce, Jonathan Phinney, Benjamin Smith, Zephaniah Briggs, Darling Shaw, Andrew Cole, Noah Clark, Nathan Peirce, John Blye, Jr., Wm. Blye, Crispus Shaw, Thomas Wood, Thomas Pickens, Alexander Pickens, John Pickens, Wm. Pickens, Andrew Pickens, Jr., William Strobridge, Hugh Montgomery, Solomon Dunham, John Jones, George Hackett, Nathaniel Thompson, John Samson, Samuel Pickens, Joseph Macomber, John Macomber, Samuel Macomber, Abner Townsend, Nathaniel Shaw and Thomas Pickens. Commissioned officers, 3. Non-commissioned, 6. Privates, 42. Total, 51.

This company was formed in or near 1746, and continued to exist until May 30, 1836, or a period of about eighty-five years. Captains—Joseph Leonard, William Canedy, Jr., Job Peirce, May 9, 1776, Amos Washburn, 1778, Abraham Shaw, July 1, 1781, John Smith, July 17, 1787, Ebenezer Briggs, Jr., Aug. 4, 1794, Elias Sampson, Aug. 31, 1801, Daniel Smith, May 5, 1807, Ebenezer Pickens, Sept. 21, 1810, David Sherman, May 2, 1814, Abiel M. Sampson, Oct. 17, 1820, Richard B. Foster, April 28, 1827, Horatio G. Clark, July 19, 1828, James Pickens, May 29, 1829, to May 30, 1830, when the company was distanded and the non-commissioned, officers and privates made a part of the "Beech Woods" company, under Capt. Samuel Hoar.



Capt. Amos Washburn and wife Prudence Hoskins (No. 59) had:

(158) Betsey, b. 1763; m. no one; d. April 12, 1845, aged 82 years. (Gravestones in Lakeville.)

(159) James, b. 1767; m. no one; d. Nov. 19, 1815.

Was a lawyer, and was in practice at New Bedford.

(160) Phebe, b. 1769; m. no one; d. Aug. 26, 1844. (See gravestones in Lakeville.)

(161) Olive, b. 1772; m. no one; d. July 30, 1847,

aged 75 years. (Gravestones in Lakeville.)

(162) Amos, b. 1774; m. no one; d. Aug. 4, 1853, aged 79 years. He was a Justice of the Peace.

(163) Luther, b. 1777; m. Hannah Terry; d. Jan. 25, 1856. She d. Oct. 26, 1853. (Gravestones.)

(164) Joshua, b. 1779; m. no one; d. May 2, 1818.

(165) Prudence, b. 1781; m. no one; d. Dec. 28, 1868.

In this family of eight children, only one married; and James Washburn, the lawyer, remarked that it resembled the kingdom of heaven in that they neither married or were given in marriage.

ABRAHAM PEARCE and wife Lydia Haskins (No. 60) had:

- (166) Simeon, m. Hope Peirce, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. She was a daughter of Silas Peirce and wife Anna Hathaway, and b. Feb. 2, 1772. She d. May 6, 1859. He d. Nov. 17, 1859. (See gravestones near Myrickville, East Taunton.)
- (167) Abraham, m. Sept. 9, 1802, Phebe, a daughter of Lieut. William Hoskins, of East Taunton. She was b. May 9, 1785.
- (168) Clothier, b. April 12, 1780; m. June 4, 1801, Rebecca, a daughter of John Hoskins, of East Taunton. Clothier d. Sept. 23, 1854. His wife d. Dec. 13, 1869. (See gravestones.) Resided in Freetown.



THE HASKINS FAMILY.

(169) Gilbert, resided in South Middleboro', near the old muster field, called "Muxom Ground." He m. ---.

(170) Elijah, m. April 16, 1807, Sarah, a daughter of Lieut. William Hoskins, of East Taunton. She was b. March 18, 1789, and d. Jan. 30, 1841. He owned and occupied a farm in Fall River, the present home of Rodolphus Allen; sold and removed to Little Compton, R. I.; m. second, — Grinnell. She died, and he m. —.

(171) Hope.

(172) Chloe, m. John Winslow, of Freetown, and for a second husband she m. June 25, 1795, Joseph Terry, of Freetown. He was a son of Joseph Terry and wife Mary Thurston, grandson of Lieut. Col. Abiel Terry, great-grandson of Thomas Terry, Esq., and great-greatgrandson of Lieut. Thomas Terry, all of Freetown.

(173) Lydia, m. Edward Smith, of Freetown. He was a son of Dea. Abner Smith and wife Deliverance Cudworth, grandson of Benjamin Smith and wife Abigail Cudworth.

The name of Abraham the parent is spelled Pearce instead of Peirce or Pierce, because he was of the Rhode Island branch of the family, that spelled the surname differently from the Old Colony Peirces or Massachusetts Pierces.

Amos Briggs and wife Welthea Haskins (No. 62) had:

- (174) Welthea.
- (17%) Amos, m. Nov. 7, 1797, Sibyl Hathaway, of Freetown.
 - (176) Warden, m. Sept. 4, 1800, Phebe Macomber.
- (177) Judson, b. 1780; d. Oct. 15, 1845, in his 65th year. (See gravestones.) He was a brick and stone mason.
 - (178) Isaac, d. young. (Tradition.)
 - (179) Deborah, m. Noah Hathaway. (Tradition.)

JONATHAN HARVEY and wife ABIGAIL HASKINS (No. 63) had a family of children, whose names I collected, but the ..



manuscript was lost in being transmitted to the printer, and I have not the ready means to replace it, and so must omit the account.

JAMES HARVEY and wife BETHANA HASKINS (No. 64) had:

- (180) Luther, never married; died or lost at sea.
- (181) Polly, m. Dec. 8, 1810, John Haskins.
- (182) Chloe, m. Robert Robinson, of Hingham. He committed suicide. Resided for a time in Freetown. He served twelve days in the coast guard at New Bedford in 1814.
 - (183) Bethana, m. Peter Staples.
- (184) Betsey, m. King.
 (185) James, m. three times: first, Eunice Briggs. She died, and he married second, ---.
- (186) Jonathan, m. twice: first, Mary ---. She d. June 25, 1835. (See grave-stones.)

James Harvey, the parent, left his wife and went to a distant part of the country.

Charity Haskins (No. 65), daughter of Abiel Haskins (No. 22), was born in or about 1754, and married Seth Anthony, instead of Paul Anthony, as was stated on page 148 of this book. They removed to Kortwright in the State of New York, where he appears to have become poor; he and his wife separated, remaining apart till his last sickness, that terminated in death Sept. 20, 1827. It cost the writer of this genealogy considerable time, travel and effort to obtain this meagre account of Seth Anthony and wife Charity Haskins, and sometimes he has felt that the pursuit of such knowledge was attended with so much difficulty as to excuse further labor in its attainment; but calling to mind the old Latin proverb my school-teacher gave me as a motto when quite a young boy, I repeated, "Labor omnia vincit," and struggled on.

Tradition had already misled me, and trusting to which I had stated, on page 148, that Charity Haskins (No. 65)



married Paul Anthony. Now Paul was in his life-time so notorious as not to have been forgotten. Not remembered for anything good or great that he had done, but for the silly act of trying to fly by the aid of a pair of wings that he constructed of thoroughly seasoned cedar, and to obtain the material for which, sought the oldest fence-rails from Cotley to Algerine Street, Pole Plain to Beech Woods, Skunk Hill and Squawbetty, and of these, carefully culled, he collected, in the faith of mounting "up on wings as eagles," yea, the "American Eagle" of that old-fashioned stereotyped Fourth of July toast that always soared "high in the air," or, perhaps, like his illustrious namesake, to the third heavens, where things are spoken that for the inhabitants of this earth it is not lawful to utter. If these were his hopes, how great must have been his disappointment, for he came quickly and ingloriously down, falling unceremoniously and heavily in a barn-yard among beasts that neighed, brayed and bawled, swine that squealed, and fowls that squawled, their surprise, that with the groans of the bruised aeronaut, made the jargon and discord of a pandemonium, or as if all bedlam were let loose. All this I learned that did nor pertain to my subject in the unsuccessful effort to obtain some facts that did, and when well nigh discouraged, it occurred to my mind to seek the assistance of Mrs. Lydia Haskins, of Myrickville, in the hope that some of the oft repeated stories of her husband's father, still lingering in her memory, might meet my wants, and aid in the attainment of a knowledge, that, like a coy maid, continually eluded my grasp. Mrs. Haskins quickly corrected the mistake by assuring me that it was Seth Anthony, instead of Paul, who married Charity, a sister of her husband's father, and to make her assurance doubly sure, produced a package of old letters from the parties themselves, bearing dates ranging from 55 to 46 years ago. These letters were addressed to Elijah Haskins (No. 56), and by his son's wife, Mrs. Lydia Haskins, had been preserved, thus to bring

light out of what seemed impenetrable darkness. The perusal of these letters convinced me that Seth Anthony and wife had quite a number of children that lived to marry and be comfortably settled in life, but did not give their names with that clearness that would enable me to arrange them in the order of their births, and hence we forbear to attempt the furnishing of further particulars concerning them.

Capt. JACOB HASKINS (No. 87) and wife MERCY PITTS had:

(187) Hannah, b. 1774; m. Feb. 7, 1792, Enos Burt, Esq., of Berkley. He d. April 4, 1822. She d. May 11, 1843, in her 69th year. (Gravestones in Berkley.)

(188) Elizabeth, m. Thomas Danforth, of Norton.

Jacob, the parent, made a will, Aug. 29, 1814; named daughters Hannah and Elizabeth, and granddaughter Elizabeth Danforth. (See Probate Records.)

• Jacob Haskins was a Captain in the patriot army in the war of American Revolution. He resided in Taunton, southerly part, very near the line of Berkley. He died Jan. 4, 1819. Mercy, his wife, died Feb. 17, 1839. Both have suitable gravestones in the cemetery near Berkley Common. The house in which he resided is now (1874) standing.

Captain Jacob Haskins's company, in Colonel John Jacobe's regiment, enlisted into the service of the United States of America for the full term of one year, commencing Jan. 1, 1778. Jacob Haskins, of Taunton, Captain. Lieutenants, Noah Pratt, Jacob French, Matthias McFornan and Jonathan Fletcher. Sergeants. Aaron Turner, of Freetown, John Lawrence, Jesse Ellis, Peter Smith, Benjamin Fuller and Elijah Jones. Corporals, Jonas Humphrey, Daniel Chickering, Parker Farle, Increase Pond, Samuel Cushing and Daniel Cook. Private Soldiers, John Smith, Jonathan Boyden, Samuel Cudworth, Moses Falos, Fisher Hartshorn, James Smith, Christopher Smith, Asa Holbrock, Zach. Bimbo, Samuel Williams, Enoch Darling, Jeremiah Crocker, Wm. Fuller, Joseph ----, Titus Metcalf, Joel Fairbank, Simpson Jones, Jeremiah Daniels, Roger Smith, Titus Smith, Zimri Cleveland, Warrick Greene, Luther Bullard, Abraham Crowley, Isaac Dogget, Wm. Horton, Lemuel Herrin, Silas Morse, Wm. Seaver, Ellis Whiting, Moses Daggett, Michael Clark, Benjamin ----, Ephraim Jackson, Samuel Hammond, Thaddeus Stowell, Oliver Guild, Lanc Brown, Nathaniel Draper, Nathan Draper and John Dowce.

Captain Jacob Haskins's company, in Col. John Hathway's regiment, detached from the militia of the Massachusetts State, from the 13th of March to the 15th of April, 1779. Jacob Haskins, Captain. Abiel Macomber, Lieutenant. Seth Paul, Nathaniel Snell, Perez Drake, John McLouth and Joshua Staple, Scryeants. Nathaniel Dean, Edward Dean, Philip Dean and Isaac Hall, Corporals. Abiel



TROMAS CHASE and wife HANNAH HOSKINS (No. 89) had:

(189) Thomas, b. Feb. 16, 1757; lived single.

(190) Hannah, b. Sept. 28, 1759.

(191) Abigail, b. May 15, 1761; m. July 17, 1781, John Briggs, of Freetown, son of John Briggs, of Berkley.

. (192) Roba, b. April 4, 1763.

(193) Phylena, b. May 11, 1765.

(194) Judith, b. Aug. 1, 1766.

(195) Henry, b. Nov. 14, 1769; m. no one.

(196) Tryphena, b. 177-; m. — Haile.

Their first child was born eight days after the parents were married. All these children were born in Berkley, except the last, that was born after the parents removed to the State of New York. Thomas, the parent, was born Oct. 18, 1733, and was a son of Benjamin Chase, 3d, and wife Mary Briggs,‡ grandson of Benjamin Chase, Jr., and wife Mercy Simmons, and great-grandson of Benjamin Chase, "the cooper," of Freetown. John Briggs, that married Abigail (No. 191), was called "John Dollar," to distinguish

These rolls of companies, commanded by Capt. Jacob Haskins, were copied by the writer of this family history from the originals on file in the office of the Secretary of State, Boston.

· She was notoriously ugly in her disposition, and quick to take offence.

Hayward, Drummer. Ebenezer Smith, Fifer. Private Soldiers, John Burt, Elijah Briggs, George Darby, Abraham Dean, Zebedee Hacket, Joseph Hall, Solomon McLouth, John Phillips, Abel Pain, David Padelford, Elijah Richmond, Elkanah Smith, Laban Smith, James Williams, Jr., Abiel Dean, Nathan Hall, Nehemiah Leonard, Eleazer Wilbur, Israel Jones, Zadock Turner, Elisha Garey, Nathaniel Hall, John Bolton, Peleg Osborn, James Gilmore, John Shaw and Lemnel Briggs.

[†] This John Briggs, of Berkley, received the nickname and was generally known as "Bear," or "Bear Briggs." He was a son of Amos Briggs and wife Sarah Pain. John (called the Bear) was father to the state prison convict and counterfeit. Malbone Briggs, who had seven sons convicted of crimes that carried them to the State Prison, and the eighth son committed a highway robbery and escaped punishment by running away.

[‡] She was the terrible creature formerly known as "Moll Buck," or "Mary Ben." She is said to have confessed she had committed every sin for which she knew a name, except murder. She was the daughter of Amos Briggs and wife Sarah Pain.

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him from others of his name residing in the same town at one and the same time. Lasciviousness has been a strongly marked, if, indeed, not the distinguishing trait of the Chase family for two centuries.

STEPHEN HOSKINS (No. 91) and wife Phebe — had:

Stephen, m. no one.

Phebe, m. Oct. 2, 1798, Obed Myrick, of Taunton. (198)

PHILIP HOSKINS (No. 92) and wife MARY MYRICK had:

(199) Henry, b. July 22, 1776.

(200) Mary, b. July 1, 1778.

(201) Hannah, b. Nov. 23, 1779.

(202) Lydia, b. July 15, 1781.(203) Philip, b. March 6, 1783.

(204) Olive, b. Feb. 7, 1785.

(205) Hope, b. April 7, 1787.

(206) Elizabeth, b. Feb. 19, 1790.

The names of these children, and dates of their births, were taken from the town records of Berkley.

SOLOMON PAINE and wife MARY Hoskins (No. 94) had:

(207) Hope,* b. June 25, 1774; m. Oct. 1, 1793, George Briggs, of Berkley.

(208) Abraham, b. Feb. 19, 1779; m. 1800, Abigail

[•] A circumstance, quite unimportant in itself, but occurring in my early childhood as it did, made an indelible impression upon my mind, and served ever after to keep the recollection of that woman vividly in my memory. I could have but recently graduated from my bib and diaper, and still remained in petticosts, when, riding out one day with my father, we stopped at her home, where the family had just finished their dinner, that had in part consisted of green peas and stringed beans, nicely cooked and set upon the table in an old-fashioned brown earthen milk-pan, such as we used to call "Shove's ware," and though the family had esten their fill, quite a quantity remained, and this old woman, taking me upon her knee, moved up to the table and said: "Would this little boy like some of this dinner?" to which question I readily responded in the affirmative, but added: "I don't love beans, but I do love peas;" when she quickly said, "Well, leave the beans, and help yourself to the peas; don't be bashful, my little man, take right hold and ent as many as you like," and at the same time drawing



Winslow, of Taunton. He d. Jan. 31, 1853. She was a daughter of Job Winslow, of Taunton.

(209) Betsey, b. Nov. 9, 1780; m. 1799, Ephraim Tisdale, of Taunton. She d. June 13, 1843.

- (210) Solomon, b. July 2, 1788; m. 1813, Elizabeth Phillips, of Freetown. He was drowned, and she m. Rufus Blossom, of Fall River. He died, and she m. Samuel Robbins, of Lakeville. Rufus Blossom was one of the four male members of the first christian church in Freetown at the date of its formation, May 14, 1807, and a truly pious man.
- (211) Henry, b. Oct. 15, 1790; m. 1826, Mary Cartwright, of Fall River. They reside in Freetown.

Solomon Paine, the parent, was a son of Solomon Paine, of Freetown, and wife Lydia Soule, of Tiverton, R. I., grandson of John Pain, of Freetown, and wife Rebecca Davis, and great-grandson of Ralph Pain and wife Dorothy. Solomon Paine and Mary Hoskins were married in 1768. He enlisted as a soldier in the French and Indian War, and upon the rolls of which army, in the archives of the office of the Secretary of State in Boston, his name still stands as a "deserter." One of his grandsons was a deserter from the Union Army in the late war of Rebellion, and is so recorded. And thus "history repeats itself," and "blood will tell."

the pan of peas and beans within my easy reach. I was too anxious for the peas to wait further ceremony, and as I reached my hand into the dish, I received a sharp reprimand from my father, when my motherly old friend as quickly interposed with, "Yes, yes, let him put his hand right into the victuals, and pick out the peas; yes, indeed, yes, put in both hands, sonny, if you like;" and there I accordingly sat in that old lady's arms, reaching into the milk-pan and selecting and picking out the peas with my fingers, and enjoying the meal so heartily, that, though nearly half a century has since passed, the pleasures of that feast are still fresh in my recollection, and probably will be as long as I live or the faculty of memory remains.



Lieut. WILLIAM HOSKINS (No. 95) and wife SARAH CASWELL had:

(212) Gideon, b. Oct. 24, 1780; m. Nov. 4, 1802, Amy Paul, of Berkley. He d. Dec. 7, 1857. She died March 28, 1869. He was commissioned, March 20, 1811, Lieutenant of the 7th company of the local militia in Middleboro'—(Beech Woods Co. so called)—Sylvanus Parris being Captain, and Abiathar Briggs, Ensign. Lieut. Gideon served as an officer in the Coast Guard in the last war with England. His wife was b. Aug. 17, 1782. Lieut. Gideon Haskins was superseded, June 6, 1815, by the election of Ethan Peirce as Captain, in place of Sylvanus Parris resigned and honorably discharged. Lieut. Gideon Haskins resigned, and his place as Lieutenant was filled by the election of Apollos Read, May 7, 1816.

(213) Phebe, b. May 9, 1785; m. September 9, 1802, Abraham Pearce, of Taunton. She died, and he in extreme old age went to the west and there died.

- (214) William, b. March 18, 1789; m. Hannah Tinkham, of Fairhaven. He d. Feb. 29, 1864. Of a company of the local militia in Taunton he was commissioned Ensign, Aug. 22, 1820; promoted to Lieutenant, March 9, 1821, and to Captain, March 23, 1825. Justice of Peace for Bristol County, Feb. 3, 1836, and Representative to the General Court, several years.
- (215) Sarah, b. March 18, 1789; r. April 16, 1807, Elijah Pearce, of Taunton. She d. Jan. 30, 1841, and he m. second, Grinnell, and removed to Little Compton. She died, and he m. third, ——.

William, the parent, was a soldier in the patriot army in the War of Revolution, and on the 17th day of May, 1792, was commissioned Lieutenant of a company of the local militia in Taunton. His former home is now owned and

[•] This company was in the 3d Regiment of the 2d Brigade, 5th Division, of the Massachusetts Militia. The names of the Colonels of that Regiment, and the



occupied by his grandson, Mr. Julius C. Haskins, to whom the thanks of the writer are due for much valuable information concerning the Haskins family.

EBENEZER READ and wife Lydia Haskins (No. 122) had:

- (216) Mary, b. Sept. 25, 1783; m. Ebenezer Briggs.
- (217) Josiah, b. Feb. 4, 1785; m. Tripp.
- (218) Lydia, b. Jan. 29, 1787; m. Osmond Babbett.
- (219) Ebenezer, b. March 8, 1789; m. Polly Chase.
- (220) Isaac, b. Jan. 18, 1791; m. Nancy Babbett.
- (221) Sally, b. Feb. 15, 1793; m. Lemuel Gay.
- (222) Abigail, m. William Tripp.
- (223) Deborah, m. Peleg Drew.
- (224) Gilbert.
- (225) Betsey, m. Hathaway.

The facts concerning the family of Ebenezer Read were derived from Town Records and Miss Dorcas Strange.

ROGER PAUL and wife Polly Haskins (No. 124) had:

(226) Lydia, m. James French, of Berkley. She d. Oct. 14, 1837. [Berkley Records.]

dates of their commissions, so far as the same have come to my knowledge, were as follows: George Leonard, of Norton; Ephraim Leonard, of Norton; Samuel White, of Taunton; George Leonard, Jr., of Norton; George Godfrey, of Taunton, from 1774 to Feb. -, 1776; George Williams, of Taunton, from Feb. -, 1776; Abiel Mitchell, of Esston, from June 17, 1779; Robert Crossman, of Taunton, from July 1, 1781; Joshua Wilbur, of Taunton, from May 15, 1788; Noah Hall, of Raynbam, from March 22, 1792; Gideon Williams, of Taunton, from 1795; Job Winslow, of Dighton, from April 26, 1798; Thomas Lincoln, of Taunton, rom 1805, to May 18, 1809; Nathaniel Fales, of Taunton, from Aug. 5, 1809; Israel Dean, 2d, of Taunton, from -; Edward Crossman, of Taunton, from Sept. 18, 1817; Adoniram Crane, of Berkley, from ----; Cromwell Washburn, of Taunton, from Aug. 20, 1826, to April 18, 1828; Herrey Harnden, of Troy, from May 10, 1828; Russell Wood, of Taunton, from Sept. 23, 1829; Warren Lincoln, of Raynham, from Aug. 2 13, 1831; Stephen L. White, of Taunton, from June 9, 1832; Pardon Leonard, Jr., of Taunton, from July 2, 1835; Nathaniel S. Mason, of Taunton, from May 13, 1837, to Dec. 13, 1837; Nathan R. Shaw, of Taunton, from Oct. 23, 1838, to April 24, 1840, when the regiment was disbanded by an act of the legislature. This regimental organization continued to exist just about one hundred years, and during that time was commanded by twenty-five different gentlemen who averaged four years each in commission as colonel.



- (227) Polly, m. James French, of Berkley.
- (228) Sally, m. Lincoln Woodward, of Taunton.
- (229) Abigail, m. no one. [Tradition.]
 - (230) Hannah, m. no one; d. young. [Tradition.]
 - (231) Abiel, m. no one; drowned.
 - (232) William, m. Barney.

GILBERT TRIPP and wife SALLY HASKINS (No. 125) had:

- (233) Deborah, m. Henry G. Ricketson.
- (234) Pardon, m. Sarah Macomber.
- (235) Deborah, b. May 6, 1801; m. Feb. 15, 1824, John Paun. He died in Lakeville. Was a farmer.
 - (236) Gilbert, d. at age of 2 years.
 - (237) Laura, m. John Dunham.
- (238) Gilbert, m. June 22, 1834, Jane L. Chase, of Berkley. A daughter of Samuel Chase.
 - (239) Mary, m. Silas Swift.
 - (240) Amy, m. no one.
 - (241) Ephraim, m. Bethiah Handy, of Rochester.

Thanks due Mrs. Deborah Paun (No. 235) for information concerning this family.

James French and wife Ruth Haskins (No. 128) had:

- (242) Amanda, m. no one. She is a town pauper.
- (243) Tisdale, m. no one; d. young. [Tradition.]
- (244) Hiram, m. no one; d. young. "
- (245) Christopher, m. Aug. 9, 1832, Roena Gavins, of Berkley. [Berkley Town Records.]

SAMUEL CHASE and wife MERRIAM HASKINS (No. 129) had:

- (246) Bradford, b. June 18, 1809. [Berkley Records.]
- (247) Richmond, b. May 28, 1810; m. Rhoda —.
- (248) Jane L., b. Sept. 10, 1811; m. June 22, 1834, Gilbert Tripp, of Fairhaven. [Berkley Town Records.]



- (249) Samuel B., b. April 15, 1813. [Berkley Records.]
- (250) Caroline, b. Nov. 14, 1814; m. John Wade, of Middleboro'.
- (251) Ruth, b. March 31, 1816; m. Timothy Codding, of Taunton.
 - (252) Israel, b. Sept. 24, 1817. [Berkley Records.]
- (253) George R., b. April 26, 1822; m. Arzelia Richmond, of Freetown.
 - (254) Albert, b. Oct. 28, 1824; m. Mrs. Rhoda Chase,

of Lakeville. He is a blacksmith.

(255) Ephraim, b. Sept. 12, 1827; m. —— Read, of Westport.

Samuel, the parent, was b. Feb. 16, 1781. He was a son of Ezra Chase and wife Jerusha Gilbert, grandson of Israel Chase and wife Welthea Kean, great-grandson of Benjamin Chase, Jr., and wife Mercy Simmons, and great-great-grandson of Benjamin Chase, the "cooper," of Freetown.

CYRUS HASKINS (No. 133) and wife CATHARINE HOWLAND had:

- (256) Cyrus, b. June 18, 1816; m. Susan McKinster.
- . (257) A daughter, m. no one; d. young.
 - (258) Daniel, b. Aug. 2, 1819; m. Hannah Haskins.
- (259) Priscilla, b. Aug. 25, 1821; m. Nov. 17, 1841, Hermon Peirce, of Freetown. He was b. Dec. 11, 1815.
- (200) Catharine, b. April 26, 1824; m. Orrin Eddy. He died, and she for a second husband m. George J. Smith, and they have separated.
- (261) George H., b. Sept. 9, 1827; m. Sept. —, 1850, Mary A. Richmond, of Freetown. She was b. April 30, 1818. He was a Union soldier in the late war—three months, nine months, and hundred days man.

[•] Cyrus Haskins and wife Susan separated and have not lived together for several years.



(262) Elizabeth J., b. May 9, 1829; m. June 16, 1850, Silas P. Richmond, of Freetown. They have been divorced, and he has married again. He was b. June 19, 1831.

Abiel Haskins (No. 134) and wife Lydia Smith had:

(263) A child, m. no one; d. young.

(264) Lydia J., b. Dec. 25, 1817; m. David Brownell, of Fall River.

(265) Prudence W.,* b. Feb. 29, 1820; m. 1841, George J. Smith. He was b. Aug. 30, 1815, and was a soldier in the late war of rebellion. By trade a painter. He lives in Freetown.

(266) Abiel, b. Feb. 17, 1822; m. Almira Rider.

- (267) Edward S., b. May 11, 1823; m. Meribah Heley.
- (268) Ruth A., b. March 2, 1827; m. no one; d. young.
- (269) Elizabeth, b. June 23, 1831; m. Thomas Ramsey.

Lydia, the mother, was a daughter of Edward Smith, of Freetown, and wife Lydia Pierce, and born Nov. 1, 1792; granddaughter of Dea. Abner Smith, of Freetown, and wife Deliverance Cudworth; great-granddau. of Benjamin Smith and wife Abigail Cudworth. Benj. Smith was an Irishman.

Capt. Enoch Haskins (No. 136) and wife Phebe Weeks had:

- (270) Franklin, m. Eliza Lothrop, of Norton.
- (271) Edmund, m. Hannah Dean.
- (272) Harrison, m. Sarah Lovell, of Middleboro'.

THOMAS SOUTHWORTH and wife Lucinda Haskins (No. 137) had:

(273) Enoch, b. April 13, 1804; m. Sept. 6, 1829, Lois T. Clark. He died April 18, 1871. She died Nov. 5, 1840.

[·] She was divorced from her husband.



- (274) Lucinda, b. Sept. 24, 1805; m. June 12, 1825, Warren Dunham. She died Jan. 13, 1848. He died Aug. 17, 1838.
- (275) Thomas, b. Jan. 4, 1810; m. Dec. 11, 1834, Susan Bisbee. She died March 25, 1867.
- (276) Eli, b. March 30, 1814; m. Feb. 16, 1844, Harriet Tinkham. She died Dec. 24, 1873.
- (277) Jason, b. July 5, 1819; m. July 7, 1863, Abby B. Perry.
 - JOSHUA HASKINS, Esq. (No. 138) and wife had:
- (278) Galen, b. March 23, 1808; m. Sarah Miller. He died Dec. 16, 1866.
- (279) Harriet, b. Jan. 16, 1814; d. unmarried, Aug. 23, 1834.
 - (280) Orville, b. July 4, 1815; m. Lydia Kinsley.
 - (281) Joseph C., b. June 16, 1819; m. Mary Kinsley.
- (282) Mary C., b. June 29, 1824; m. Strobridge S. King. She died Oct. 29, 1866.
- (283) Austin, b. Aug. 1, 1830; m. Betsey S. Atwood. Thanks due to him for information.

MYRICK HASKINS (No. 139) and wife Polly —— had:

(284) Hannah M., m. Henry P. Jenney, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He was b. Nov. 1807.

Andrew Haskins (No. 140) and wife Lydia B. Kinsley had:

- (285) Myrick, b. July 5, 1814.
- (286) Martin K., b. May 29, 1816.
- (287) Andrew, b. March 22, 1818. Lost at sea, April 16, 1851.
 - (288) Julia, b. March 13, 1820; m. Henry A. Dean.
- (289) Cephas, b. July 25, 1825. Postmaster at Lakeville; representative to the General Court one year.



(290) Albert, b. Nov. 26, 1826. Kicked by a horse and killed.

LEVI HASKINS (No. 141) and wife MARY SAMPSON had:

- (291) Mary S.
- (292) Levi H.
- (293) Orrin E.

Apollos Haskins, Esq. (142) and wife Amelia Leonard had:

- (294) Bartlett, b. March 6, 1823; m. Harriet A. Allen.
- (295) Zilpah, b. Dec. 1826; m. John Dean.
- (296) Martha, b. July 7, 1830.
- (297) Emily, b. July, 1834.

SAMUFL HASKINS (No. 146) and wife Lydia Gifford had:

- (298) Hannah R., b. 1833; m. George Howland, of Dartmouth.
 - (299) William W. K., b. 1835; d. Dec. 26, 1838.
 - (300) Albert C., b. June, 1837; d. Sept. 1839.
- (301) William A., b. 1840; m. Lucy White, of ———, Illinois.
 - (302) Gifford, b. 1843; d. 1844.
- (303) Benjamin S., b. 1845; m. Myra E. Record, of Taunton.
 - (304) Emma, b. 1849.

Mrs. Lydia, the mother, was from Little Compton, and to no one of the Haskins family, or connected with it by marriage, does the writer owe more for information concerning the same, as without her aid I had sought in vain, and perhaps must have remained ignorant of facts without which it would have been impossible to trace in an unbroken chain to the emigrant ancestor. Her recollections of the family traditions, as communicated by her husband's father and uncle Joshua Haskins, were in this connection very valua-



ble; and added to which should also be noticed the singular care and commendable forethought that led her to preserve the family papers, even to letters of friendly correspondence, for quite a long term of years, that put the writer in possession of facts sought for eagerly but in vain elsewhere, and which but for her would have been buried in oblivion and forever lost to sight and to mind. In these days of whimsical women and foolish females, the family is fortunate that receives the accession by marriage of such a woman as Mrs. Lydia Haskins.

CLOTHIER PEARCE (No. 168) and wife REBECCA HASKINS (No. 147) had:

(305) Apollos, b. Oct. 1802; m. 1825, Christina Baker, of Middleboro' (now Lakeville). He d. Jan. 28, 1865. A remarkably industrious and hard-working man. Was a farmer, and resided in Freetown. Good citizen.

(305) Fanny, b. Aug. 16, 1803; m. March 23, 1823,

Edward Haskins, her cousin, of East Taunton.

(307) Susan, m. Ensign Nathaniel Caswell, Jr., of Middleboro', now Lakeville. Of the 7th company of the local militia of M. (Beech Woods Co., so called), he was commissioned June 6, 1829, as Ensign, Samuel Hoar being Captain, and John Woodbridge Canedy Lieutenant, and in the regiment of which Darius Miller of Middleboro' was Colonel, Thomas Weston, Jr., Lieut.-Colonel, Oliver Eaton, Major, and Arad Thompson Adjutant, in the brigade commanded by Brig.-General Benjamin King, of Abington.

(308) Clothier, d. young. [Tradition.]

(309) Rebecca, b. Dec. 30, 1815; m. Simeon Terry. She d. April 5, 1865. He was b. May 13, 1814.

(310) Levi, b. 1816; m. Phebe Baker, of Lakeville.

(311) Chloe, m. twice: first, Harrison Macomber. They were divorced, and she m. second, Joseph Ashley.

(312) Ruth, m. Jephthah A. Howland, of Freetown.



BATHSHEBA HASKINS (No. 148) had before her marriage:

(313) Deborah, b. May 20, 1801; m. no one; d. - n. 16, 1820. [Family Record.]

THOMAS TERRY and wife Bathsheba Haskins (No. 148) had:

- (314) Zebedee, b. April 18, 1806; m. Eliza Baker, of Middleboro'.
- (315) Thomas, b. Aug. 3, 1809; m. twice: first, Nov. 1835, Lavina Seekell, of Taunton. She died and he m. second, Rebecca Lincoln, of Raynham. [His testimony.]
- (316) Simeon, b. May 13, 1814; m. Rebecca Pearce, a daughter of Clothier Pearce and wife Rebecca Haskins.

 - (317) Enoch, b. Sept. 1816; m. Adeline Gardner.(318) John H., b. Aug. 13, 1822; m. no one; d. Feb.
- 2, 1831. [See gravestone, East Taunton.]
- (319) Eliphalet, b. Nov. 29, 1824; m. Eliza Briggs, of Berkley. [His testimony.]

JOHN HASKINS (No. 149) and wife Polly Harvey (No. 181) had:

- (320) John, m. Charlotte White.
- (321) Elizabeth, m. Joseph White, of E. Freetown.

A John Haskins was a soldier of the Coast Guard: served at New Bedford in June, 1814, in Capt. Lynde Hathaway's company, first Freetown Infantry.

Simeon Haskins (No. 150) and wife Hannah Peirce had:

(322) Russell, b. Nov. 27, 1817; m. twice: first, Mercy Hathaway. She died, and he m. second, Nov. 1, 1865, Mrs. Harriet, widow of William Henry Haskins, of Taunton, and daughter of Capt. Malachi Howland, of Freetown. Harriet was born July 27, 1817. Russell was a soldier in the Assonet Light Infantry company, in the three months service in the late war of the Rebellion. His son, Ephraim H. Haskins, was a second Lieutenant in the 58th Mass. Regiment, and fell in battle, Sept. 30, 1864.



- (323) Deborah, b. Jan. 15, 1820; m. James Elliot, of Taunton.
- (324) Hannah, b. May 25, 1821; m. Daniel Haskins (No. 258), of Berkley. Reside in Assonet Village.

(325) Simeon, b. Oct. 14, 1824; d. Jan. 15, 1851.

(326) Bashie, b. May 16, 1827; m. Charles H. Briggs, of Freetown. Reside in Assonet Village.

(327) Julia A., b. June 17, 1832; m. Hiram Prout, of

Fall River. He died. Was buried in Freetown.

(328) Isaac, b. Feb. 7, 1834; m. twice: first, Laura Hathaway, of Freetown. She died, and he m. second, Amelia F. Hammond, of Rochester. He resides in Freetown.

Simeon, the parent, was a farmer. He resided in Freetown. Of the first company in the local militia of Freetown, he was appointed first Corporal, Sept. 1828, the company being commanded by Capt. Seth Howland.

RICHMOND HASKINS (No. 151) and wife NANCY WADE had:

(329) Nancy E., b. May 20, 1827, and to whom the writer's thanks are due for information. She m. Charles S. White, of Taunton. Reside at Myrickville.

(330) Elam R., b. May 11, 1832; m. Harriet Coggshall.

(331) Lette W., b. April 16, 1836; d. young.

JAMES WADE and wife RUTH HASKINS (No. 152) had:

(332) James H., b. April 5, 1829; m. Mary A. Macomber, of Taunton. [Family Record.]

(333) Charles W., b. July 4, 1833; m. Jan. 20, 1858, Angeline Caswell, of Taunton. [Family Record.]

NATHANIEL HASKINS (No. 153) and wife Experience Holloway had:

(334) Nathaniel.

(335) Abigail, m. Samuel Turner. [Tradition.]

(336) Jane.



- (337) Elizabeth.
- (338) Charles.

GILBERT HASKINS (No. 154) and wife LYDIA READ had:

(339) Gilbert, d. unmarried. Resided in Lakeville.

HENRY HASKINS (No. 155) and wife Abigail Pickens had:

- (340) James S., m. Clarissa Ramsdell.
- (341) Henry T.
- (342) Sally M., m. William Pearce.
- (343) Abigail, m. Benjamin Seekell, of E. Taunton.
- (344) Edwin.

EDWARD HASKINS (No. 156) and wife FANNY PEARCE had:

(345) Edward T., b. Nov. 14, 1824; m. twice: first, Hannah White, of Taunton. She d. Sept. 1860, and he m. second, Fanny Thurston, of Owego, N. Y. [Family Rec.]

(346) Levi P., b. Aug. 18, 1826; m. Oct. 28, 1860,

Mary A. Prout, of Fall River. He d. June 21, 1871.

(347) Rebecca, b. June 26, 1829; m. Alden Bradford. She d. Nov. 14, 1849. [Family Record.]

(348) Clothier P., b. March 1, 1839; m. Dec. 25, 1861, Susanna W. White, of Taunton. He is a conductor on the Old Colony and Newport Railroad, and a subscriber to this work.

Capt. Apollos Read and wife Abigail Haskins (No. 157)

- (349) Bradford, m. Nancy Ramsdell.
- (350) Sarah.
- (351) Abigail, m. Marcus Richardson.
- (352) Julia, m. Daniel Twombly.
- (353) Benjamin, m. —— Shaw, of Lakeville. He has been a Selectman of Lakeville.
 - (354) John, m. Shaw, of Lakeville.
 - (355) Elizabeth, m. —.



Capt. Apollos Read, the parent, was a son of Bailey Read and wife Elizabeth Valentine, grandson of Capt. Benjamin Read and wife Sarah Evans.

ENOS BURT, Esq. and wife HANNAH HASKINS (No. 187) had:

(356) Jacob, m. Priscilla Dean. [Tradition.]

(357) Enos.

(358) William.

(359) Hannah.

(360) Stephen.

(361) Henry.

(362) Mercy.

(363) Hiram, m. Eunice Staples. [Tradition.]

(364) Sarah, m. Micah Pratt.

THOMAS DANFORTH and wife ELIZABETH HASKINS (No. 188) had:

(365) Elizabeth.

OBED Myrick and wife Phese Haskins (No. 198) had:

(366) Calvin, b. March 28, 1799; m. Oct. 12, 1828, Sarah C. Haskins (No. 374), of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He d. Aug. 20, 1849.

(367) Stephen.

(368) Obed, m. Keziah Crossman.

(369) Polly, m. Ebenezer Strobridge, of Middleboro', now Lakeville. He was a coroner for Plymouth Co.

(370) Phebe.

Lieut. Gideon Haskins (No. 212) and wife AMY PAUL had:

(371) John C., b. April 12, 1804; m. Ruth Howland, of Freetown. He died Aug. 27, 1868. She died Feb. 2, 1868. Resided in Lakeville.

(372) Keziah, b. March 23, 1806; m. Benjamin Paul, of Berkley. She died April 22, 1862, and he m. Mrs. Hannah Richmond, to whom thanks are due for information.



- (373) Malachi H., b. Dec. 9, 1807; d. June 3, 1813.
- (374) Sarah C., b. Dec. 28, 1809; m. Calvin Myrick, of East Taunton, who died Aug. 20, 1849.
 - (375) William J., b. Nov. 17, 1811; d. March 1, 1815.
- (376) Samuel T., b. May 24, 1813; m. Molancy Staples. He died July 19, 1870.
- (377) Joseph P., b. May 9, 1815; m. Elizabeth Seekell, of Taunton. Reside in Providence, R. I.
 - (378) Phebe, b. March 13, 1817; m. Isaac Babbett.
- (379) Huldah T., b. Sept. 8, 1820; m. April 19, 1841, Dea. Timothy Staples, of East Taunton, to whom the writer's thanks are due for information.
- (380) Peddy S., b. Jan. 23, 1824; m. Jan. 20, 1848, Enos Peirce of Middleboro', now Lakeville. A farmer.

ABRAHAM PEARCE (No. 167) and wife Phebe Haskins (No. 213) had:

- (381) Luther, b. Feb. 1803; d. Nov. 4, 1822.
- (382) Louisa, b. Oct. 1805; m. 1824, William R. P. Hatheway, of Freetown. She died Jan. 26, 1854, and he m. second, Loring, of Ohio. He died Jan. 1858.
 - (383) David R. He died 1872.
 - (384) William R.
- (385) Prudence, m. Lieut. John H. Maconber, of East Taunton. They were divorced. She went to Ohio. He resides in Berkley. This is the tenth case of separation in the Haskins family that has come to the knowledge of the writer of this family history, in tracing to the 385th person.
- (386) Phebe, b. Oct. 23, 1818; d. Oct. 28, 1820. [See gravestone.]
- WILLIAM HASKINS, Esq. (No. 214) and wife HANNAH TINK-HAM had:
 - (387) William H., b. May 3, 1819; m. July 3, 1842,



Harriet Howland, of Freetown. He died, and she m. Nov. 1, 1865, Russell Haskins, of Freetown.

- (388) Julius C., b. April 30, 1825; m. Achsah Townsend, of Berkley. He occupies the homestead of his father and grandfather. Thanks are due him for information.
 - (389) Stephen, b. Jan. 26, 1827; d. young.
 - (390) Ebenezer, b. Aug. 1829; d. young.

ELUAH PEARCE (No. 170) and wife SARAH HASKINS (No. 215) had:

- (391) Lydia, b. 1810; m. Jan. 12, 1834, Frederick Winslow, Jr., of Fall River. She d. June 6, 1838. [Town Record and gravestones.]
 - (392) Elijah.
 - (393) Sarah, m. Frederick Whitwell, of Fall River.

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Elijah, the parent, for a time owned and occupied the farm formerly owned by David Valentine; sometimes called "Gen. Valentine," because he headed the rebels of Bristol Co. in an attempt to stop the session of the court at Taunton in 1786, that act being among those in Massachusetts now known as "Shays' Rebellion." That farm is now owned by Rodolphus Allen, in the northerly part of Fall River.

CYRUS HASKINS, Jr. (No. 256) and wife Susan McKinster had:

- (396) Uriel M., b. April 19, 1843; m. Ethalana Briggs, of Dighton. He was a soldier in the three months and in the nine months service, and a Lieutenant of hundred days men at Readville, Mass. Resides in Dighton.
 - (397) George W.
 - (398) Mary A., m. Roland Briggs, of Dighton.
- (399) Lutheria J., m. Sumner Chipman, of Freetown. A soldier in the nine months and hundred days service.



- (400) Eleanor M.
- (401) Caroline E.

The parents separated several years since.

Daniel Haskins (No. 258) and wife Hannah Haskins (No. 324) had:

(402) Eliza A., b. Nov. 8, 1842; m. March 2, 1863, Charles W. Houghton, of Fall River. Reside on North Main St. in Assonet Village.

HERMON PEIRCE and wife Priscilla Haskins (No. 259) had:

- (403) James H., b. April 24, 1842.
- (404) George W., b. Nov. 11, 1844.
- (405) David E., b. Dec. 5, 1849.
- (406) Sarah N., b. Dec. 22, 1851; m. Sept. 3, 1873, Joseph W. Winslow, of Freetown. Reside in Assonet.
 - (407) James B., b. Aug. 30, 1856.

On page 130 of this book, by mistake, Priscilla the mother was said to have been of Taunton. She originated in Berkley, and at a point where that town is very narrow, Taunton being on one side and Freetown on the other. By travelling a few rods one may be either in Berkley, Freetown or Taunton.

ORBIN EDDY and wife CATHARINE HASKINS (No. 260) had:

- (408) Charles O., b. Feb. 8, 1847.
- (409) Angeline F., b. Oct. 2, 1849.

Orrin Eddy, the parent, died, and Catherine, the mother, during her widowhood, had two children, viz.:

- (410) George H., b. March 7, 1857.
- (411) Minnie F., b. Jan. 15, 1860.

Catharine, the mother, for a second husband, m. George J. Smith, and they have separated. Fifth case of a separation brought to the writer's notice in tracing the Haskins genealogy to the 260th person.



George Haskins (No. 261) and wife Mary A. Richmond had:

- (412) George A., b. May, 1852; m. 1873, Mary E. Westgate, of Freetown, daughter of Thomas and Lydia Westgate.
 - (413) Charles.

George, the parent, was a soldier in the three months, the nine months and the hundred days service in the late war.

- SILAS P. RICHMOND and wife ELIZABETH J. HASKINS (No. 262) had:
- (414) Emma A., b. March 10, 1851; m. John H. Nichols, of Freetown. Reside in Assonet.
- (415) Cynthia E., b. 185-. Drowned in Assonet River by the upsetting of a boat.
 - (416) Sarah E., b. July 1, 1854.
 - (417) Walter S., b. Feb. 22, 185-.
 - (418) Flora J.
- (419) Lillie F.

After the births of these six children the parents separated and were divorced, and the father married again. His second wife has borne him two children. Silas the parent was a son of Deacon Isaac Richmond and wife Cynthia Peirce, and was born June 19, 1831. This is the sixth case of separation that has come to the notice of the writer in tracing the history of the Haskins family to the 262d person named in its genealogy.

GEORGE J. SMITH and wife PRUDENCE W. HASKINS (No. 265)
had:

(420) William H., b. Dec. 1843. He was a soldier in Co. B, of 26th Reg't Mass. Infantry, in the late war of the Rebellion, and died from a wound he received in battle. [Testimony of his father.]



(421) Jane, b. 1844; d. at the age of three years.

(422). Annie C., b. 1847; d. at the age of eight years.

(423) Lydia P., b. 1848; m. Humphrey Howland.

After the births of these four children the parents separated and were divorced. George J. Smith, the parent, is a painter by trade and by occupation. He resides in Freetown. He was born at Nashua, N. H., Aug. 30, 1815, son of Jacob H. Smith and wife Charlotte Fales. He was in the war of the late rebellion, and was a soldier in Co. B of 5th R. I. Reg't of Infantry. [Testimony of Geo. J. Smith.] Seventh case of separation noticed in tracing to the 265th person.

HARRISON HASKINS (No. 272) and wife SARAH LOVELL had:

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GALEN HASKINS (No. 278) and wife SARAH MILLER had:

(428) Serena.

(429) Betsey.

ORVILLE HASKINS (No. 280) and wife Lydia Kinsley had:

(430) Herbert.

(431) Elmore.

Joseph C. Haskins (No. 281) and wife Mary Kinsley had:

(432) Ellen.

(433) Emma.

(434) Alvin.

STEOBRIDGE S. King and wife Mary C. Haskins (No. 282) had:

(435) Millard.

(436) Mary.

CEPHAS HASKINS (No. 289) and wife Betsey M. Soule had:

- (437) Lydia H., b. Sept. 29, 1851.
- (438) Mary A., b. Nov. 7, 1853.
- (439) George S., b. Jan. 27, 1856.

By second wife MARY E. MASON, had:

- (440). Arline M., b. Aug. 14, 1863; d. Oct. 2, 1863.
- (441) Ama M., b. March 11, 1867.

BARTLETT HASKINS (No. 294) and wife HARRIET A. ALLEN had:

- (442) Leonard A., b. Aug. 26, 1850; d. Dec. 10, 1867.
- (443) Harriet A., b. April 4, 1862.

John Dean and wife Zilpah Haskins (No. 295) had:

- (444) Helen A., b. Dec. 1850; d. Jan. 1874.
- (445) Austin H., b. Jan. 1857.
- (446) Emma, b. April, 1865.

Russell Haskins (No. 322) and wife Mercy Hathaway had:

- (447) Charles R., was a soldier in the three months service in the late war of the Rebellion; on duty at Fortress Monroe in Virginia. He was in Co. G, 3d Regiment, 2d Brigade, Mass. Vol. Militia, the regiment being under Col. D. W. Wardrop, of New Bedford, and the brigade under Brig. Gen. Ebenezer W. Peirce, of Freetown.
- (448) Ephraim H., was a soldier in the Assonet Light Infantry (Co. G), 3d Reg't Mass. Vol. Militia, in the three months service, and an Orderly Sergeant in the 58th Reg't Mass. Infantry. Promoted to second Lieutenant, Aug. 8, 1864. Slain in battle, Sept. 30, 1864.
 - (449) Mercy A., b. Oct. 1857; d. Oct. 1860.

Russell, the parent, was a soldier in Co. G, 3d Reg't M. V. M., in service at Fortress Monroe, Va., three months, at the commencement of the war of the Rebellion. No children born of his second wife Harriet.



James Elliot and wife Deborah Haskins (No. 323) had:

- (450) Son, died at the age of seven days.
- (451) John.
- (452) Ellen, m. Theodore Holmes.
- (453) Hannah.
- (454) Simeon, d. at the age of six weeks.
- (455) Parney.
- (456) Albert.

CHARLES H. BRIGGS and wife Bashie Haskins (No. 326) had:

- (457) Son, b. Sept. 1, 1852; d. Sept. 1, 1852.
- (453) Annie, b. July 11, 1857.

ISAAC HASKINS (No. 328) and wife AMELIA F. HAMMOND had:

(459) Son, b. Sept. 9, 1844.

CHARLES S. WHITE and wife Nancy E. Haskins (No. 329) had:

- (460) Annie.
- (461) Damon.

EDWARD T. HASKINS (No. 345) and wife HANNAH WHITE had:

- (462) Theodore, b. Nov. 8, 1851. [Family Record.]
- (463) Rebecca, b. Oct. 8, 1857. "

By second wife, FANNY THURSTON, had:

- (464) Edward, b. Sept. 1862. [Family Record.]
- (465) Chester, b. 18—.

LEVI P. HASKINS (No. 346) and wife MARY A. PROUT had:

- (466) Clara W., b. Oct. 7, 1861. [Family Record.]
- (467) Fanny P., b. May 30, 1864. " " "



ALDEN BRADFORD and wife REBECCA HASKINS (No. 347) had: (468) Frederick S., b. Sept. 25, 1848. [Family Rec.]

John Calvin Haskins (No. 371) and wife Ruth Howland had:

- (469) Jacob, m. Amanda M. F. Howland, of Freetown.
- (470) Caroline, m. James Eldridge, of Bridgewater.
- (471) Elizabeth, m. Christopher French, of Berkley.
- (472) Lydia.
- (473) Ruth A., m. Abner J. Sears, of Lakeville. They separated and were divorced. He died 1874. This is the eleventh case of separation that has come to the knowledge of the writer in tracing the Haskins genealogy.
 - (474) John C., died 1873.
 - (475) Ellen.

CALVIN MYRICK and wife SARAH C. HASKINS (No. 374) had:

- (476) Gideon H., b. April 28, 1829; m. Amanda Washburn, of Lakeville.
 - (477) John, b. March 23, 1831; d. Feb. 10, 1849.
 - (478) Eber F., b. Feb. 15, 1833; d. Sept. 30, 1844.
 - (479) Polly F., b. Feb. 27, 1835; d. Dec. 12, 1851.
- (480) Erastus O., b. June 3, 1837; m. Ednah Eveleth, of Providence, R. I.
- (481) Artemas B., b. Oct. 31, 1839; m. Julia Eveleth, of Providence, R. I.
- (482) Sarah J., b. Nov. 18, 1841; m. Geo. W. Hoar, of Lakeville.
- (483) Emily, b. March 11, 1844; m. Charles W. Farmer, of Lakeville. Reside in East Taunton.
 - (484) Eugene, b. April 18, 1847; d. Jan. 26, 1848.

Dea. TIMOTHY STAPLES and wife HULDAH T. HASKINS (No. 379) had:

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ENOS PEIRCE and wife PEDDY S. HASKINS (No. 380) had:

- (487) John M., b. Nov. 18, 1851; d. Jan. 27, 1863.
- (488) Amy, b. July 13, 1855.
- WILLIAM II. HASKINS (No. 387) and wife HARRIET HOWLAND had:
 - (489) Charles H., b. Sept. 4, 1845; d. Feb. 8, 1846.
 - (490) Mary Ann, b. Jan. 26, 1847.
- (491) Malachi H., b. Sept. 13, 1848; m. Jan. 23, 1873, Anna P. Fletcher.
 - (492) Roba, b. Dec. 16, 1853.
 - Julius C. Haskins (No. 388) and wife Achsah Townsend had:
 - (493) Walter.
 - (494) John.
- Lieut. Uriel M. Haskins (No. 396) and wife Ethalana Briggs had:
 - (495) Susan, b. Jan. 1, 1872.
 - (496) —, b. 1874.
 - CHAS. W. HOUGHTON and wife ELIZA A. HASKINS (No. 402) had:
 - (497) Frank G., b. July 21, 1867.
 - GEORGE A. HASKINS (No. 412) and wife MARY E. WESTGATE had:
 - (498) Son, b. Sept. 1873; d. Sept. 1873.
 - JACOB HASKINS (No. 469) and wife AMANDA M. F. How-LAND had:
 - (499) Frederick.
 - (500) Edward.
 - (501) Ella.





